

California OES Weather Threat Briefing

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Day 1 (Wednesday): Locally gusty winds across the mountains and deserts of southern California will lead to elevated fire weather concerns starting today.

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WEATHER KEY POINTS

04/28/21 - 05/04/21

Wednesday-Tuesday

- No widespread impactful weather expected through early next week as dry weather returns
- Locally gusty winds and dry conditions in the mountains and deserts of southern California will lead to elevated fire weather concerns Wednesday through at least Saturday
- Breezy to windy conditions will become a bit more widespread across the state Friday through the weekend
- Minor heat impacts are expected across the Central Valley and southern desert areas Thursday through Sunday, with a slight cool down heading into early next week



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

04/28/21 - 05/04/21

| <u>Hazards / Day</u> | WED | THU | FRI | SAT | SUN | MON | TUE |
|---|----------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------|-----|-----|
| Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds | Southern | Southern | Southern | Inland/ Southern | All Regions | | |
| Snow | | | | | | | |
| Coastal Flooding | | | | | | | |
| River Flooding | | | | | | | |
| Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes) | | | | | | | |
| Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms) | Southern | Southern | Southern | Southern | Southern | | |
| Heat Risk | | Inland/ Southern | Inland/ Southern | Southern | Southern | | |
| Heavy Rain/Flash Flooding/ Debris Flow | | | | | | | |
| Cold | | | | | | | |



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST

04/28/21 - 04/30/21

No precipitation is expected through the weekend

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

05/03/21 - 05/11/21

6-10 Day Outlook (May 3 – May 7)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures are favored for the entire state

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation is favored for northern and central California, with near normal precipitation favored across southern California

8-14 Day Outlook (May 5 – May 11)

Temperatures

- Below normal temperatures are favored for northern California, with near normal temperatures favored for the remainder of the state

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation is favored for the northern two-thirds of the state, with near normal precipitation favored for southern California



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